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SUBJECT: MAJOR PROJECT: HOSPITALS

1. SKIDMORE OWINGS AND MERRILL (SOM) ARCHITECTS, HAS DISCUSSED WITH MAJOR EXPORT PROJECTS DIVISION USDOC ITS INTEREST IN WORKING ON COSTA RICAN HEALTH PROJECTS. SOM HAS WRITTEN TO COSTA RICAN GOVERNMENT OFFICIALS STATING ITS CAPABILITIES AND INTEREST IN PERFORMING ARCHITECTURAL WORK ON NEW HOSPITALS INCLUDED IN THE IDB LOAN CURRENTLY UNDER CONSIDERATION.

2. SOM TENTATIVELY PLANS A TRIP TO COSTA RICA TO INVESTIGATE THIS OPPORTUNITY BUT REQUESTS EMBASSY'S

ASSISTANCE IN DETERMINING LEVEL OF INTEREST IN PARTICIPATION OF FOREIGN FIRMS IN ARCHITECTURAL WORK. THE TRIP IS PLANNED IN CONJUNCTION WITH SEVERAL OTHER STOPS IN CENTRAL AMERICA AND COULD MOST CONVENIENTLY BE MADE THE FIRST WEEK IN DECEMBER. REQUEST EMBASSY ATTEMPT TO GET UNCLASSIFIED

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READING ON RECEPTIVITY OF APPROPRIATE MINISTRIES TO U.S.

ARCHITECTURAL FIRMS PARTICIPATING IN PROJECT.

3. SOM ALSO WOULD APPRECIATE NAMES OF SEVERAL LOCAL
ARCHITECTURAL AND ENGINEERING FIRMS WHICH SOM MIGHT

APPROACH WITH THE AIM OF FORMING AN ASSOCIATION.

4. EMBASSY ASSISTANCE GREATLY APPRECIATED. INGERSOLL

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